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## KENTUCKY WILL LOSE ONE MEMBER

### CONGRESS VOTES AGAINST INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP AND OUR STATE LOSES.

Washington, Jan. 19. The House of Representatives voted today against increasing its membership, now 435. This action was taken by adoption of an amendment to the reapportionment bill which sought to increase the total to 483. Under the amendment twelve seats would be shifted from eleven to eight states.

The vote to keep the membership at 435 was 198 for and 237 against.

The vote for adoption of the amendment proposed by Representative Harbo, Republican, California, member of the Census Committee, which reported the bill, was so overwhelming that adoption of a larger House said they realized it would stand.

The amendment means that the following States will lose seats two years hence: Missouri two, and Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Mississippi, Nebraska, Rhode Island and Vermont one each.

California will gain three, Michigan two, Ohio two, and Connecticut, New Jersey, North Carolina, Texas, and Washington one each.

**Kentucky To Lose.**

Roughly under the new apportionment the State would be divided into ten districts of about 240,000 persons each. The present Fifth District of 250,000 would not be cut down and very probably would not be increased when the General Assembly redistricts the State. As the change is not effective for two years a special session is not thought necessary for the redistricting of Kentucky, as the Legislature meets next year in regular session.

At the election last fall the Fifth District, Lexington and county, lost by the largest vote of any of the eleven districts which is taken as an indication this district will not be changed.

The vote was:

First District, 70,701. Second District, 53,132. Third District, 72,975. Fourth District, 80,495. Fifth District, 125,549. Sixth District, 74,177. Seventh District, 88,981. Eighth District, 72,476. Ninth District, 98,787. Tenth District, 55,625. Eleventh District, 86,410.

Under the new apportionment, the districts would average about 240,000 voters. If each had about 240,000 population.

The small Tenth District would be greatly increased it is thought. The Seventh District which cast some 92,000 votes at last election also might not be greatly changed.

## Burgess Luther Run Down by Automobile, Dies

George Burgess Luther, 46, 1319 Adams avenue, employee of the Huntington Lumber & Supply Co., was run down by a speeding automobile in Huntington at Fourth avenue and Fourth street, at six o'clock Sunday night and died in Huntington General hospital at 10:45 o'clock Monday night without regaining consciousness.

Luther was a twin brother of Senator J. W. Luther of Welch.

He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, a Golden Eagle and a Woodman.

The driver of the "death car" did not stop after striking Luther. Police have failed to locate either the car or the driver. After the accident, Mr. Luther was rushed to the hospital, where it was learned he had suffered a badly fractured skull and several broken ribs. His wife and children were attending church when the tragedy occurred.

Surviving are the widow and four children, Homer, aged 15, Irene 13, Paul 9, and Peyton 1, three brothers, Thomas of Louisville, Ky., James of Shoals, Wayne county, and J. W. of Welch, and two sisters, Mrs. Annie Copely and Miss Lizzie Luther, both of Shoals.

The body was removed to Shoals Wednesday morning where the funeral and burial took place.

## INFANT DIES HERE OF WHOOPING COUGH

The six months old child of J. R. Norris died in Louisa Wednesday at the home of its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blankenship. Whooping cough was the cause of the death.

The burial took place Thursday afternoon on Pine Hill.

## LEONARD SMITH DEAD.

The Corcoran Advance says: Leonard Smith, aged 30, died Tuesday morning following a two weeks' illness from pneumonia. He refused to take medicine, believing that his faith would cure him if he were to be cured.

Leonard gained national publicity a year or so since when he attempted to raise his wife from the grave by prayer.

## MRS. ELDRIDGE IN NEW YORK.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge, who recently accepted a position in Franklin's store in Ashland is now in New York spending a few days having gone with Mr. and Mrs. Faulkner to assist in purchasing millinery.

## BURIED AT EAST LYNN.

Marie Kathryn Doss, the three-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Doss of Huntington, died Sunday following a three weeks' illness from sleeping sickness. The body was taken to East Lynn Tuesday for burial.

## J. H. PICKLESIMER'S SON KILLED IN COAL MINE

Webb Picklesimer, son of J. H. Picklesimer, was killed Wednesday of last week in a coal mine on Guyan River in West Virginia when a large piece of hard coal fell on him crushing him to death. In the same accident Foster Compton, 22, his nephew, of Franklin Furnace, Ohio, was seriously injured.

Mr. Picklesimer lived near Charleston, W. Va., and is survived by his wife. He was 26 years of age.

The funeral and burial took place on Saturday from the home of J. H. Picklesimer at Ironton, Ohio.

Delegates from Louisa called there by the death were George Picklesimer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Picklesimer, Fred Picklesimer and daughter Lena, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Duffy.

## EIGHT THOUSAND LOGS IN ROCKCASTLE CREEK

C. Crane & Co., lumbermen, will have 8,000 logs in the Middle Fork of Rockcastle creek this winter. They will be drifted to the mouth of the creek where they will be rafted and taken to the company's mill at Cincinnati.

This company has been operating a timber job in Martin county now for three years. In this time it has spent \$100,000 in the county.

The company has built three dams on the creek. One is located at Middle Fork, one at Kays branch and one about two miles below the first.

M. B. Collinsworth and Wayne Lowe have been overseeing the work until this past summer when Mr. Collinsworth took charge of a job in Broadbent county. Since that time Mr. Lowe has been in full charge. Martin County Advertiser.

## HARDING PICKS SIX FOR CABINET

Madison Ohio. President elect Warren G. Harding has reached a final decision on six of the ten members of his cabinet, but may not make any announcements before he leaves Madison at the end of the week for Florida.

Mr. Harding has had rather a turbulent time of it lately in handling the cabinet situation, but after sifting the pros and cons his state stands thus:

Secretary of State Charles Evans Hughes, New York.

Secretary of the Treasury Charles D. Tamm, Ohio.

Attorney General Harry Daugherty, Ohio.

Postmaster General Will H. Hays, Indiana.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry C. Wallace, Iowa.

Secretary of War or Navy John A. Weeks, Massachusetts.

## Mayo Trail Receives Editorial Notice of C-J.

The Courier Journal has the following editorial about the Big Sandy road:

Pike, Floyd, Johnson, Lawrence and Boyd counties, with \$650,000 in hand and more in sight, proceeding with the Mayo Trail between Ashland and Pikeville will put the Big Sandy Valley up on the road map for the pleasure of motorists of this State, in whose neighborhood the Big Sandy Valley is, and put the people of four of the Big Sandy counties into easy communication with Ohio and West Virginia.

Improving roads in counties which always have had hard roads even in counties which have had earth roads, a good part of the year, is spending up. Constructing roads through the Big Sandy Valley will be digging out. It will be costly, but there is no hesitancy. The counties are well to do and progress, and the passenger service upon the railroad between Ashland and Pikeville makes everyone who is familiar with it a red hot whopper for good roads at any price.

## James McGuire Shot Accidentally at Potter

James, 18 year old son of George R. McGuire, was shot in the shoulder while walking along the road near Potter, about three miles north of Louisa, Tuesday. The ball barely missed his lung. The shot is said to have been fired by one of a party of boys and it is claimed to have been accidental. The wound is quite painful, but no very serious results are expected.

## S. C. LUTHER MARRIES.

Schuyler Talfax Luther and Miss Anna Hutson were married near Elkton, Md., December 22. The bride was a resident of Goldsboro, Md. Mr. Luther was reared in Wayne county, W. Va. They visited relatives and friends in Wayne county last week and have returned to Goldsboro where they will live.

## MRS. J. R. CAMPBELL DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Death came to Mrs. J. R. Campbell about noon Monday at her home at Sacred Wind after an illness of some time. She was forty eight years of age and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper, of Cherokee. Several brothers and sisters survive, one of whom is Mrs. T. H. Burchett, of Deephollow. Also one daughter, Mrs. Curtis Borgas.

## MONEY FOR MAYO TRAIL SURVEYS

The Fiscal Court and the Advisory Commission met at the court house in called session last Saturday for the purpose of considering a request from the State Road department to advance immediately \$500.00, or whatever part of that amount that may be needed to complete the survey and mapping of the Mayo Trail through this county.

Mr. Posey was present and explained that in order to get ready to let the contract in March it is necessary to employ a large force of draftsmen, and these are already at work.

The request was granted and Judge Riffe was appointed to pay over the money as called for upon proper estimates submitted by the State. The two banks in Louisa agreed to buy \$250.00 each of the road bonds to meet this emergency. These bonds are a part of the \$125,000 apportioned to the two roads comprising the Mayo Trail.

Before acting upon this matter the court agreed to the appointment of two additional members of the advisory commission and Judge Riffe appointed E. V. Berry and Dr. J. J. Gantall of Louisa. This makes eight members, evenly divided politically, as required by law.

They gave bond and were sworn in immediately and took part in the proceedings.

The other counties in the valley are taking similar action.

## Oil Development in East Kentucky Brisk

Lexington, Ky. The influx of oil men into the Johnson-Magoffin oil fields is already taking the hotels of Pikeville to their capacity and housing accommodations in the town are being built to be entirely inadequate to meet according to reports received here.

Several good wells have been brought in in that territory during the last week, and these have only served to stimulate development and pave the way for more activity in the spring when it is expected that many of the big companies having holdings in that field will enlarge their operations and increase their drilling force.

The Kirk Oil & Gas Co. has shot its latest well near Wheelersburg, Johnson county and it is reported to be one of the best wells in the field. This well is being tubed and will be put on the pump at once. Drilling will start next week on another location on the same lease. This company contemplates striking at least twenty wells on this and other holdings.

The Seimide Oil & Gas Co. has just had a rig on a lease adjoining the lease of the Kirk Oil & Gas Co. and will start in this week. This is also a promising lease and some good producers are expected.

The Cumberland Petroleum Co., which has several producing wells in the vicinity of Paintsville, has begun operations on Russ Fork, north of Paintsville, where several test wells will be sunk. The Russ Fork oil field has valuable holdings in the same neighborhood, has made a location on the head of Texas branch and also one on Muddy branch. Drilling on these wells is being pushed night and day.

In the Staffordville section of Johnson county mud and winter weather have not hampered efforts of the different companies operating there. The wells there produce the high-grade Pennsylvania oil, discovery of which led up to the developments in and around Paintsville.

The Dan Davis well, just two miles west of Paintsville, has come in and is reported to be the best showing yet made in the Staffordville district. The well in the Staffordville Petroleum Co. is being tubed and the machine will be moved to location No. 2 at once. Several other new locations have been made at Staffordville and vicinity.

The Cumberland Petroleum Co.'s well No. 3, Oliver Wheeler lease, Keaton fork, Johnson county, is in and is good for 20 barrels according to reliable reports. In the same territory R. A. Chiles of Mr. Sterling and the Weldman Oil Co. have completed No. 1 on the Ricks Wright lease, which is said to be good for at least 40 barrels. This well is 845 feet to top of sand, with 19 feet of sand, then a 20-foot break and then 43 feet of Weir sand again. Total depth of this well is 930 feet.

## ENJOYING THEIR VISIT AT YUMA, ARIZONA

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Dutcher who in company with their young son left a few weeks ago for Yuma, Arizona, are at the home of Mr. Hatch's sister, Mrs. Arnoldus McClure. They went there for the benefit of their young son, who is improving rapidly, spending his entire time out of doors and is so well that his mother and father feel that they can leave him soon and return to Ashland—Ashland Independent.

## KENTUCKY ENGINEER WINS RED CROSS AWARD

Included in the awards announced by the Bureau of First Aid of the American Red Cross, Washington, for the best general railroad and life-saving work performed during 1920 is one of \$75 to John Cravens, engineer of the C. & O. railroad, who on Dec. 15, 1919, stopped his train at Duckers, Ky., about eight miles east of Frankfort, and rescued from drowning a small boy who had been skating on a pond. He threw the boy a rope and with the aid of the train crew, drew him to safety.

## ARE YOU KEEPING A FAMILY BUDGET?

If you were at the head of a big corporation you would be compelled to keep a budget or have one kept from year to year, for without budgeting its expenditures the up-to-date business firms would find themselves hopelessly in debt at the end of the year. Isn't it just as important to keep a budget in that all important incorporation—the home? If you budget your income and live up to it you will always know just where you stand financially, and what's more you will always have money for the man who keeps a budget and an expense account will find that he has been lacking more in sense than in dollars.

The Kentucky Y. M. C. A. as a part of its Thrift Week observance has provided for the residents of Louisa a limited supply of family budget books which are good for one year. The budget book today in use is a book that is throughout the year, and you will really be surprised at the end of the year to find how much money you have been able to save.

The budget book can be secured at either one of the banks free by simply signing a card agreeing to try to keep it.

## A MISSIONARY TO CHINA SPEAKS IN LOUISA

Miss Louise Tucker, who for a number of years has been a missionary in China was in Louisa this week and delivered a very interesting lecture at the Baptist church on Wednesday night. In the afternoon at the Eldorado theatre building she had spoken and given an exhibit of Chinese curios. She brought to her hearers the vast work being done and to be done in the great, awakening China.

## TWO PIKEVILLE BUILDINGS BURN

Pikeville, Ky., Jan. 14.—Fire Tuesday destroyed the Pikeville bakery with a loss of \$18,000 and the Imp. Theater with a loss of \$8,000. The fire department prevented the destruction of the Pike Hotel. The fire started in the upper story of the bakery, which is owned by S. M. Hereford and L. Dye. The theater was owned by J. L. Saad. Neither carried insurance.

## Carl Foughty Dies Suddenly at Huntington

The Huntington Herald of yesterday contained the following item:

Retiring Tuesday night, apparently in the best of health, Carl H. Foughty, 21, was found dead in bed yesterday morning at the home of a friend, A. L. Welch, 1225 Monroe avenue. Foughty was a big man apparently in the pink of condition. Doctors pronounced it heart failure.

He had just arrived in Huntington from Louisa, Ky., where he had gone on a visit after leaving his work in a rubber factory in Akron, O. He formerly lived here and was visiting at the home of Mr. Wells. Late in the night he attracted their attention, but before medical aid could reach him, he expired.

The body is at Chapman-Klingler Funeral Home, pending the location of relatives, two sisters, in Akron, O. He has a brother, but his whereabouts cannot be learned.

Several years ago, the boy's father, an oil well shooter, was killed by an explosion of nitro-glycerine at Louisa, Ky.

## Marriage of Miss Atkins and Mr. N. P. Petterson

Miss Gladys Atkins and Mr. N. P. Petterson were married Monday evening, the 17th, at the home of the bride's parents in Louisa. The ceremony was performed at 6:30 by Rev. John Chepp, of the M. E. Church. Only Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Meade and the members of the immediate family were present. They left immediately for Ashland, where they will reside in the same house with Mr. and Mrs. Meade, their best friends. The happy event had not been announced in advance but friends of the couple were not greatly surprised when it occurred.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. O. C. Atkins, of the firm of Atkins & Vaughan. She is a very amiable and attractive young lady, highly regarded and worthy of the best there is in life. Mr. Petterson is an industrious and honorable young man. The best wishes of many friends go with these young people for long life, prosperity and happiness.

## HI-Y ORGANIZED.

Mr. Hall, Y. M. C. A. district secretary, organized a "Hi-Y" for the Kentucky Normal College last Sunday afternoon. The boys students gathered in full force at the M. E. Church South for this purpose. The work will be followed up by Mr. Hall. It is a good move and should be encouraged.

## NORFOLK & WESTERN TO BUILD COAL CARS

Roanoke, Va.—The Norfolk & Western Railway Company has definitely decided to build 1,000 coal cars of 120 tons each, which will cost over \$500,000, according to an announcement at the general offices of the road here. The 120-ton coal car is said to be the largest of its kind in the world. No contract for the cars has been let. The company may decide to build them in its local shops.

## REVIVAL WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

The Harbin-Watson revival, which closed at the M. E. Church South in Louisa Monday night, was one of the most successful ever held here. It was expected to close Sunday night, but the interest was at such height that the people petitioned the evangelist to continue. He announced services for Monday afternoon and Monday night, and at these meetings there were several conversions.

The results have not been thoroughly tabulated as the NEWS goes to press, but the conversions and reclamations have been estimated at somewhere between 150 and 200. More than 25 families have been established, 17 young people gave their names for special life service of some kind. Mr. Harbin announced a list of 44 who joined the church last Sunday morning and a large class will take the vows next Sunday.

John B. Horton announced his decision to enter the ministry.

Rev. Harbin will open a meeting at Boyle, Texas, next Sunday and he is compelled to leave here Tuesday in order to be ready for that meeting.

While here he was solicited by Pikeville, Catlettsburg and Sayreville, to hold meetings and it is likely that he will fill engagements there later on.

Mr. Harbin is a devout and very forceful evangelist. He has an effective assistant in Mr. Watson, the singer, who is a wonderful worker with the children. He had about 200 organized into a junior choir and bible reading class. They were present at every night service and on last Saturday afternoon had a most enjoyable time in the basement of the church, where lunch was served to them.

Members of the choir of the M. E. Church and the Baptist Church gave valuable aid in the choir. Also, two Presbyterians. All the churches and their pastors worked together in the meeting. Prof. I. A. Saucier did fine service at the piano.

## MISS TISLOW MARRIED.

We have received from Mr. H. H. Tislow, Petersburg, Ind., announcement of the marriage of his daughter, Miss Opal, to Mr. Otto B. Adams of Chicago. Those who met the young lady when she was here last summer with her parents found her to be most attractive and accomplished.

The following account of the wedding appeared in the Evansville, (Ind.) Journal:

One of the most beautiful and attractive weddings of the season will occur Friday afternoon, January 14, at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Hovey H. Tislow, in Petersburg, when their daughter, Opal, will become the bride of Mr. O. B. Adams of Chicago.

Rev. Thomas of the Methodist Episcopal church will read the service before an altar of southern cypress and ferns studded with pink roses and lighted by cathedral candles. The parlors will be artistically arranged with greenery and baskets of pink roses.

Mrs. S. E. Dillon will play delightful bridal airs preceding the ceremony and Louisa's wedding march for the processional. Mrs. Dillon will accompany Mrs. Phillip Kiger who will sing "Oh Promise Me" and "At Dawning" preceding the ceremony and "Because" after the service. "Quartet in A Major—Andante," played by Elman string quartet, as recorded by Victor, will be played during the ceremony.

The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, will wear her traveling dress, a beautiful hand embroidered brown duvetyne with hat and shoes to correspond. She will carry Mrs. Aaron Ward roses. The matron of honor, Mrs. D. W. Gleason, will wear a brown velvet suit and will carry pink roses. The bridesmaids, Mrs. Edwin Dummeyer, of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Paul Lamb, will wear blue afternoon dresses. Little Anna Mae Thomas, ring bearer, will be dressed in white and will carry the ring in a lily.

Following the ceremony a reception will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams will depart for an eastern trip and will be at home after March 1 at 1110 Pratt boulevard, Chicago.

The bride, after studying at the De Paul university music school, went to Boston, Mass., and graduated from the New England Conservatory of Music, where she is a member of the Alpha Chi Omega sorority. She is a talented singer and an artist of rare ability. For the past year she was soloist of the Newton Methodist church of Boston, Mass., and also did extensive concert work throughout the New England states. During the war she traveled under the direction of the Y. M. C. A. along the Atlantic coast, entertaining in all the camps and was preparing to go overseas to work when the armistice was signed. She is a member of the "Alpha Chi Omega Alumnae Club" of Louisville, Ind., and "The Evening Musical" of this city.

The bridegroom is a graduate of De Paul university, where he is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity. During the late war he enlisted in the first officers' training school, receiving the rank of first lieutenant. He was assigned to the 45th Infantry and served throughout the war. At the time of his discharge he held the rank of major. He is at present connected with the banking house of Halsey, Stuart & Co., Chicago.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Sherman Griffith, 25, of Hannah, to Viola Boggs, 25, of Sacred Wind.

Floyd Wheeler, 18, to Gertha Cordie, 16, of Wilbur.

Petter Nicholas Petterson, of Huntington, to Gladys Atkins, of Louisa.

## FOUND DEAD ON PIGEON CREEK; DEATH CAUSED BY EXPOSURE

The Huntington Herald Dispatch—Death by freezing and starvation was the verdict returned Tuesday by the coroner's jury in the inquest held over the body of George Boddow, chief engineer of the Main Island Creek Coal Company, who disappeared in the mountains one week ago Monday while en route from Omar to Red Jacket, W. Va. The whinnying of his half-starved horse hitched near led searchers to the body, which was lying face downward. A slight scratch on the temple, which had bled profusely, gave rise at first to the belief that Boddow had suffered from foul play.

An open clasp knife, a crumpled map and dead embers of a small fire told the story of his fight with the cold. As the body was found several miles off the road to Red Jacket, it is believed that he lost his way in the dim trails and thickly wooded mountains and was overcome by exposure.

The man left Omar on the afternoon of the 10th to superintend the moving of a steam shovel at Red Jacket. His body was discovered last Monday, one week after his disappearance.

After the inquest the body was taken to Williamson. From there it was removed to Omar, where the funeral services were held Wednesday. Interment at Logan.

Boddow is survived by the widow and three small children.

## WEST VIRGINIA TOWNS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Three elections in Mingo county towns were held last Thursday to choose new mayors, recorders and councilmen.

At Matewan the present administration won a sweeping victory, the candidates of the Citizens party being victorious by big majorities. J. H. Slusher was elected mayor over N. L. Chancey by a vote of 220 to 64. Practically the same majorities were obtained by C. Dan far recorder and E. B. Chambers, J. W. Williamson, J. F. Hynes, George Booth and Milt Williamson for councilmen.

At Kenilth the Republicans won a big victory over two opposition tickets. J. W. Hale, for mayor, had a majority of 41. The other successful candidates were H. S. Evans for recorder and H. F. Richmond, W. M. Hale R. M. Akers, H. C. Dandridge and Walter Bowen for councilmen.

At Gilbert Prof. Wirt Hatfield was elected mayor and Dr. R. M. Musick, recorder.

## Colored Child Burned to Death in Louisa

Alf Matney's youngest child, age about four years, was burned to death Monday afternoon. She had whooping cough and was alone in the room at home when the accident occurred. Her oldest sister, who has taken care of the children since the death of the mother, left the room for a short time, and the child was then lying on a bed near the fire. It is supposed she got up and stood too close to the fire. Her clothing caught fire and she ran screaming into the yard, dying within a few minutes.

## PIKEVILLE TEACHER ATTACKED BY PUPIL AND MOTHER

Pikeville, Ky., Jan. 18.—After Millard Kinney, 16 years old, had been whipped by his teacher, Miss Larue Cisney, in the public school today, he struck her over the head with a club, inflicting a slight wound. When Miss Cisney wrested the club from him he rushed out of the building and ran home.

After a few minutes his mother, who has a reputation as a fighter, entered the school, rushed on the teacher and seized her when the police arrived.

Mrs. Kinney was arraigned in the Police Court and was fined \$20.—Court Journal.

## Lawrence Circuit Court Will Begin February 7

Circuit Court will open here the first Monday in February. Following is the jury list:

Grand Jury:—John Wilson, Theodore Kinney, Blaine Ball, Elwood Hutchison, John H. Houck, Felix Pigg, A. J. Parker, H. M. Bradley, Jack Bryan, L. F. Skaggs, Garfield Adams, Marilla Pack, A. C. Hopton, Cobe Sparks, Frank Childers, G. H. Higgins, Peyton Blackburn, Zach Bellamy.

Jury List:—J. P. Walters, Ed. Burgess, Winfield Vinson, Jeff Brown, J. J. McClure, N. L. Osborn, B. H. Roberts, Harvey Church, Jeff Chandler, H. S. Young, D. M. Curmiste, Sam Maynard, Leonard Compton, Dock Smith, George Carter, Sam Branham, Taylor Frazier, Wm. Burgess, W. T. Bradley, George L. Diamond, Sanford Chandler, M. E. Sparks, M. B. Sparks, Leander Sweetnam, Bascom Thacker, C. F. Sparks, W. S. Edwards, Mill Meade, Wm. Parker, J. M. Pigg, Pat Sweetnam, Millard Short, John Wallace, Wm. Adams, D. P. Kiger, Sam Price.

## CARSON TAYLOR HERE.

Mr. Carson Taylor, evangelist, slugger, of Louisville, stopped over here last Thursday evening on his way to Prestonsburg where he went to sing in a meeting. He is a warm friend of Dr. Chas. Fox Anderson, pastor of the Baptist church of this place and his visit to Louisa was for the purpose of seeing him.

He very kindly complied with the request to sing at the Harbin-Watson meeting the night he was here and







## BIG SANDY NEWS

Friday, January 21, 1921.



## True Enough.

Not every legend is a fake.  
So it would seem.  
There's this much true of wedding  
enke.  
It makes you dream.

—W. S. A.

**LOST**—Black plush belt in Louisa.  
Return to this office.

**Real bargains in ladies wearing ap-  
parel at Justice's store.**

**This is Thrift Week** What are you  
doing to start saving?

**Go to Justice's store for bargains in  
Hats, Coats and Hosiery.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Mead moved  
Monday from Louisa to Ashland.**

**FOR RENT**—Small farm near Lou-  
isa. Good house, water, plenty fruit.  
For particulars see M. F. Conley.

**Dorothy, daughter of Rev. and Mrs.  
J. D. Hill, has been quite sick the past  
few days.**

**FOR SALE**—Farms all sizes. Prices  
and terms reasonable. Wm. T. Bennett,  
Minford, Ohio, Scioto county 14-1-1.

**Mrs. M. I. McKinster has closed her  
school at Lowmanville and returned  
to Mattle.**

**Notice is hereby given that I have  
sold out. All persons owing me will  
please call and settle. J. B. PETERS  
21-1d**

**WANTED**—Good reliable middle-  
aged woman for general housework.  
Will pay \$10 per week to right party.  
Mrs. Geo. Schmauch, 724 Jefferson  
avenue, Huntington, W. Va. 31-221d

**SALESMEN WANTED** to solicit for  
lubricating oils, greases and paints.  
Salary or commission. LINCOLN OIL  
CO., Cleveland, O. 11-1d

**FOR SALE**—One Aberdeen Angus  
bull, thoroughbred, 4 years old good  
condition in every way. Will sell or  
trade for other cattle. Call on or ad-  
dress Jesse Cyrus, Buchanan, Ky. 11

**WANTED**—Salesman for custom  
clothes, direct to customer. Popular  
priced, established, reputable house.  
Reference required. Heston Tailoring  
Co., Goodall Bldg., Cincinnati, O. 2-4d

**CLERKS**—(men, women) over 16  
for Postal Mail Service. 130 month  
Examinations January. Experience not  
necessary. For free particulars write  
R. TERRY, (former Civil Service Ex-  
aminer) 1427 Continental Bldg., Wash-  
ington, D. C. 17-31

On account of the general interest  
in revival services the Board of Trade  
adjourned immediately after assem-  
bling in regular monthly session Mon-  
day night.

Mayor A. Snyder and attorney R. C.  
confer with the office of Ashland and  
McClure went to Ashland Thursday to  
Cattletown in the matter of pending  
gas litigation, taking expert testimony  
etc. It is hoped to have an early ad-  
justment of this case by the Railroad  
Commission.

## FRESH MEATS —AND— GROCERIES

We solicit your trade in this  
line and will endeavor at all  
times to serve you in a satis-  
factory manner. We stay in  
the fresh meat business at  
all seasons

**LAMBERT & QUEEN**  
LOUISA - KY.

J. L. MOORE

R. C. BURTON

## Moore & Burton

LOUISA - KENTUCKY

We have bought the J. B. Peters hardware and  
building supplies store on Lock avenue and will  
enlarge the lines. We invite the people to give  
us a chance to show what we have. In addition  
to Hardware we will specialize in building lum-  
ber and supplies. Also, gas fixtures, plumbing  
material, etc. We shall try very hard to please  
you and save you money.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Jas. Pritchard was in from Dennis  
Saturday.

T. R. Lane of Auxier was in Louisa  
Wednesday.

John W. Bentley was in from Yates-  
ville Tuesday.

Dennis Wright, of Van, W. Va., was  
here Monday.

F. A. Johnson and little daughter  
are here from Lexington.

Dr. Burgess was called in Pikeville  
Monday on professional business.

Nash Sheets, of Huntington, W. Va.,  
was a business visitor in Louisa Sat-  
urday.

E. C. Berry, Dr. Gambill and G. W.  
Kouns, of Blaine, were in Louisa Sat-  
urday.

Miss Patsy Shannon was down from  
Gallup visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B.  
Muney.

Geo. and E. Rowe, of Georges  
Creek, paid the NEWS office a call  
Saturday.

W. N. Sullivan was in Louisa a few  
days ago. He holds a position in  
Mansfield, O.

W. J. Vaughan is in Indianapolis,  
Ind., this week attending a Sunday  
School council.

Mrs. C. M. Crutcher, of Huntington,  
has been visiting her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. S. F. Reynolds.

Miss Edith Pickett, who held a posi-  
tion at Lookout, has returned to her  
home near Louisa.

Mrs. Phelps, of Pikeville, passed  
through Louisa Thursday on his way  
to Williamson, W. Va.

Mrs. Charlie Snyder Adams of Cat-  
lettsburg was the guest Sunday of  
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Snyder.

Miss Elizabeth Conley went to Cin-  
cinnati Wednesday for a few days visit  
to M. L. Conley and family.

Miss Willie Lee Clark, of Lexington,  
came to Louisa Monday for a visit to  
her sister, Mrs. R. V. Garret.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morris and two  
children, of Gary, Ind., are expected  
soon to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vin-  
son.

Mrs. Nora Sullivan has returned to  
Louisa after a visit of several weeks  
with relatives in Greenup, Catletts-  
burg and Huntington.

L. C. Leslie of Emma, Floyd county,  
was here Saturday as the guest of  
Rev. B. B. Blythe. He has a son in  
school here.

Mrs. J. J. Johnson was called here  
by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Wm.  
Philly. G. B. Garry of Lexington, also  
spent Sunday with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wellman and son,  
of Pikeville, spent Sunday with Louisa  
relatives. Mrs. Wellman and the boy  
came to Davis, W. Va., for a visit to  
her sister.

Rev. J. W. Beagle, D. D., Field Sec-  
retary of the Southern Baptist Con-  
vention, was a visitor in Louisa this  
week, the guest of Dr. Charles Fox  
Anderson.

Mrs. T. C. Phillips came down from  
Cincinnati to attend the Harbin-  
gton-Watson reunion. She was here  
over Sunday. Her two small boys ac-  
companied her.

Mrs. Geo. W. McAlpin, of Pikeville,  
and sister, Miss Elsie, and Mrs. Geo.  
Bryant left Sunday for Cincinnati  
where they are spending a few  
days shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Blumick have  
moved from Catlettsburg to Pointes-  
ville. They stopped in Louisa Sat-  
urday and were guests until Monday of  
F. H. Yates and family.

Thomas Luther was called to Hun-  
tington, W. Va., Monday to see his  
brother, G. B. Luther, who was run-  
down by an automobile and whose  
death occurred Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Freese returned  
home Wednesday evening from Wheel-  
ing, W. Va., where they went before  
Christmas to visit their son, S. M.  
Freese. They were accompanied ten  
days while there on account of the  
illness of Sam Freese, Jr., who had  
diphtheria.

## MEET-BLACK.

A wedding which came as a surprise  
took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
A. C. Meek of Williamson, W. Va., last  
Wednesday when Miss Emily Meek  
and Mr. Golden Black were united in  
matrimony. Miss Meek is the beautiful  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Meek  
of Louisa. The young couple left Sat-  
urday for Kansas, stopping at Louisa  
and Huntington to spend a few days  
with friends and relatives.

Mr. Black is a brother of Mrs. A. C.  
Meek. From Huntington they will be  
accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. C.  
Meek who also expect to make their  
home in Kansas. A FRIEND

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## FRANCIS M. SAVAGE.

The Washington D. C. Herald of last  
Monday published a picture of Mr.  
Francis M. Savage who was born and  
partly reared in Louisa. He is a  
brother of the late Sam Savage of  
Ashland. The following was printed in  
connection with the picture:

He is President and organizer of the  
Northwest Savings Bank, capitalized at  
\$75,000 and having deposits of over  
\$500,000.

Mr. Savage was born in Louisa, Ky.,  
1855, and started on his financial car-  
eer as a teller in Catlettsburg, Ky.,  
in 1875. He organized a number of  
successful banks in the South and Mid-  
dle West besides being an active lead-  
er in building up industries in Gary,  
Ind. Mr. Savage has traveled exten-  
sively, having toured Europe, Asia and  
Africa in 1907-08, and Australia in  
1916. He has also found much time to  
devote to social betterment of steel  
workers, improvement of educational  
systems, beautifying towns and cities,  
etc.

Mr. Savage is a member of the  
American Bankers' Association, Arch-  
aeological Institute, Chevy Chase Club  
and the Cincinnati Literary Club.

Leonidas Bromley, who left for St.  
Louis a few days ago, returned home  
Saturday because of illness. His father,  
Dr. Bromley, met him in Cincinnati  
and accompanied him home. He is now  
able to be out.

## Think



of attending a party  
without clothes nicely  
cleaned and pressed?

**YOU WOULDN'T  
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go to your business  
without looking spic  
and span? Is not  
your business life worthy of this per-  
sonal appearance equation?

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## BIG SANDY OIL FIELDS GROW

Harboursville, Ky.—Oil developments  
in the Big Sandy district of Eastern  
Kentucky are being pushed by over a  
hundred operators, there being a total  
of 195 rigs up and wells drilling at  
this time, according to advices from  
that section. These counties are rap-  
idly increasing their oil production,  
which is taken care of by extensions  
of the Cumberland Pipe Line Co. Law-  
rence county is now fifth among Ken-  
tucky oil-producing counties, while the  
Johnson-Magnolia field together are  
producing about 25,000 barrels monthly.  
Developments are in the War and  
Berea grit formations, which yield  
lasting wells.

In his completed work in Johnson  
county includes some wells producing  
around 50 barrels. The Cumberland  
Petroleum Co.'s recent test on the  
Wheeler lease, Keaton Fork, will make  
100 barrels, it is claimed. The Keaton  
Oil & Gas Co., drilling on the Lyons  
lease, has a well of 50 barrels at the  
start. In Lawrence county the Union  
Oil & Gas Co. has two wells making  
20 barrels each.

**Work in Floyd and Knott.**  
In the counties of Floyd and Knott,  
where natural gas developments share  
an equal interest with petroleum, there  
are a number of wells drilling. The  
Beaver Creek district being the center  
of interest. Since gas from that dis-  
trict is being used commercially, both  
as fuel for Central Kentucky cities  
and in carbon plants in the field, some  
attention is being given to the prob-  
able extent and richness of the sands,  
which have been proved to extend over  
many square miles, with a vast unde-  
veloped area.

**The Eastern Fields.**  
It has been the high price offered  
for crude that has kept up the opera-  
tions in all the fields east of the Mis-  
sissippi, except the development in  
Kentucky, where new production is  
sufficient to warrant the gamble. Now,  
with a greater supply coming from the  
Midcontinent than is being consumed,  
buying companies will endeavor to  
keep new production within the limits  
of current supply. Of the millions of  
barrels in storage the record would  
show that it went into storage during  
the days of low prices, and even that  
which has been drained will not be  
replaced at present extraordinary  
prices. In the way of costs, operators  
claim the only change of consequence  
is in pipe, which is hard to purchase at  
the new quotations.

**Prospects Not Rosy.**  
Under these conditions the outlook

for the Eastern fields for the coming  
spring is not very rosy, and will re-  
main dark unless the turn in the open  
season brings consumption to a higher  
point than day-to-day production.  
There is a general shut-down in the  
Texas fields, which soon will add to  
the evening ratio.

In the export petroleum trade there  
has been a further falling off in values,  
due in a great measure, to the unex-  
pected condition of the chartering market  
as to loading full cargoes of oil, as  
well as other disturbing elements from  
abroad. Trading continues slower, and  
pessimistic in leading circles, looking  
for increased weakness during the  
early spring months. Prices are firm,  
with very little indication of any low-  
ering in export prices.

In the Ohio Valley there has been  
practically no change in conditions for  
the past several weeks, except a slow-  
ing down, due to the blow of lower  
markets. It will not be surprising to  
see spring open in these fields at a very  
low ebb, but on the Kentucky side of  
the river the new off-set law will re-  
quire much drilling of producing wells  
and just at this time oil companies in  
that state are seeking for new capital  
in order to put down the wells neces-  
sary to protect their property.

## YATESVILLE

Rev. Kincaid was the dinner guest  
of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Short Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Prince were at  
Cadenus Saturday.

Misses Olga and Eva Hewlett were  
visiting Mr. and Mrs. George F. Atkins  
Sunday.

Miss Esta Prince was calling on Miss  
Rosa Bradley Sunday.

James Elkins was calling on Luther  
Prince Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Holbrook spent  
Saturday night and Sunday with his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Hol-  
brook.

Frank Cooksey spent Sunday with  
his mother at Fallsburg.

Bascom Thacker was calling on  
friends and relatives on Morgan Creek  
Sunday.

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10th came down the mountain trail



"No—I will make another cup of tea and you must share it with me." Orth's formal tone had lost its severity, and as he talked pleasantly while he worked the girl's manner congealed into frozen silence. He brought out

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